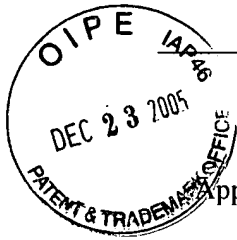


Please Direct All Correspondence to Customer Number **20995****REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Applicant : Brahmachari et al.
App. No : 09/539,032
Filed : March 30, 2000
For : A COMPUTER BASED METHOD FOR
IDENTIFYING PEPTIDES USEFUL AS
DRUG TARGETS
Examiner : Marjorie A. Moran
Art Unit : 1631

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence and all marked attachments are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on

December 19, 2005

(Date)

Neil S. Bartfeld, Ph.D., Reg. No. 39,901

Mail Stop RCE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being made as follows:

1. Submission Required under 37 CFR 1.114:

- (X) Enclosed:
(X) Amendment/Reply in 9 pages.

12/27/2005 SSESHE1 00000029 09539032
01 FC:1801 790.00 OP
12/27/2005 SSESHE1 00000029 09539032
03 FC:1253 1020.00 OP

Please Direct All Correspondence to Customer Number **20995**

2. Fees:

| FEE CALCULATION | | | | |
|----------------------|-------------|----------------|----------------------|----------------|
| FEE TYPE | | FEE CODE | CALCULATION | TOTAL |
| RCE Fee | | 1801 (\$790) | | \$790 |
| Suspension of Action | | 1463 (\$130) | | \$0 |
| Total Claims | 12 - 12 = 0 | 1202 (\$50) | 0 x 50 = | \$0 |
| Independent Claims | 1 - 4 = 0 | 1201 (\$200) | 0 x 200 = | \$0 |
| Multiple Claim | | 1203 (\$360) | | \$360 |
| 1 Month Extension | | 1251 (\$120) | | \$0 |
| 2 Month Extension | | 1252 (\$450) | | \$0 |
| 3 Month Extension | | 1253 (\$1,020) | | \$1,020 |
| | | | TOTAL FEE DUE | \$2,170 |

(X) An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.

3. Payment:

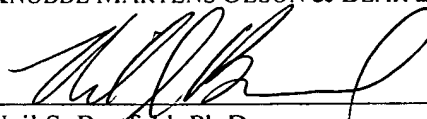
(X) Check in the amount of \$2,170 to cover the above fees.

Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

4. Other Enclosures:

(X) Return Postcard.

Respectfully submitted,
KNOBBE MARTENS OLSON & BEAR LLP



Neil S. Bartfeld, Ph.D.
Registration No. 39,901
Agent of Record
Customer No. 20,995
(619) 235-8550

Dated: December 19, 2005